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1. BRITISH OVERSEAS DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY RATHER THAN H.M.TREASURY WILL TAKE THE LEAD IN EACH OF THE TWO ANNUAL MEETINGS.
2. HMT REPORTS THAT IT WILL NOT BE SENDING A DELEGATE TO THE INTER-AMERICAN DEVELOPMENT BANK ANNUAL MEETING; NOR IS IT CERTAIN THAT H.M. TREASURY WILL SEND A REPRESENTATIVE TO THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK MEETING.
3. IT IS NOT CERTAIN THAT JUDITH HART WILL ATTEND ADB MEETINGS IN VIENNA DUE TO CONFLICT WITH EUROPEAN DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL MEETING. IF SHE DOES NOT ATTEND, UK DEL WILL CONSIST OF:  
CHRISTOPHER FOGARTY, ODM DEPUTY SECRETARY  
ATTENDING AS ADB GOVERNOR AD INTERIM  
JOHN KIRBY, BANK OF ENGLAND  
ROY CARTER, SOUTH EAST ASIA DEPT., ODM

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4. ODM IS NOW IN THE PROCESS OF DRAFTING THE UK PRESENTATION FOR THE ADB MEETING. PRINCIPAL POINTS WILL BE: ADF REPLENISHMENT (JUDITH HART ALREADY WROTE TO SECRETARY BLUMENTHAL EXPRESSING SUPPORT FOR THE BANK'S REPLENISHMENT TARGET OF \$2.15 BILLION); HUMAN RIGHTS (ODM IS CONCERNED THAT HUMAN RIGHTS ISSUES MAY IMPACT UPON REPLENISH-

MENT).

5. C.R. ANGUS RAE, ODM UNDERSECRETARY, WILL LEAD SMALL UK DEL TO IDB MEETING IN VANCOUVER. THE UK DEL DOES NOT NOW EXPECT TO SEEK A BILATERAL WITH THE U.S. (ALTHOUGH IT MAY CONSULT INFORMALLY WITH U.S. REGARDING AID CONSORTIA FOR THE CARIBBEAN AND ON HUMAN RIGHTS). REGARDING SUBSTANTIVE DISCUSSIONS, ODM CONTACT NOTED THAT UNLESS A PROPOSAL FOR REPLENISHMENT IS RECEIVED FROM THE IDB MANAGEMENT BEFORE APRIL, ODM WILL NOT BE ABLE TO DEVELOP A POSITION OF ITS OWN, MUCH LESS COORDINATE WITH OTHER NON-REGIONAL MEMBERS. ODM THUS EXPECTS NO DISCUSSION OF SUBSTANCE ON REPLENISHMENT AT VANCOUVER.

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